

# State of South Dakota

## EIGHTY-EIGHTH SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2013

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### HOUSE BILL NO. 1158

Introduced by: Representatives Nelson, Hansen, Hoffman, Kopp, Magstadt, Peterson, Tulson, and Verchio and Senators Novstrup (Al), Lucas, and Maher

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain provisions relating to the posting of public  
2 notice for meetings of public bodies.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That § 1-25-1.1 be amended to read as follows:

5 1-25-1.1. All public bodies shall provide public notice, with proposed agenda, that is visible,  
6 readable, and accessible for at least an entire twenty-four hours before any meeting, by posting  
7 a copy of the notice, visible to the public, at the principal office of the public body holding the  
8 meeting. The agenda shall include the date, time, and location of the meeting. The notice shall  
9 also be posted on the public body's website upon dissemination of the notice, if such a website  
10 exists. For special or rescheduled meetings, the information in the notice shall be delivered in  
11 person, by mail, by email, or by telephone, to members of the local news media who have  
12 requested notice. For special or rescheduled meetings, all public bodies shall also comply with  
13 the public notice provisions of this section for regular meetings to the extent that circumstances  
14 permit. A violation of this section is a Class 2 misdemeanor.

